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Joseph M. Caruso
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Pipe Springs, Arizona 86022

Re: Receipt of Permit Application Fee, Acceptance of Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Joseph Mike Caruso, M&M #1,2,&3 Project, S/025/024, Kane County, Utah

Dear Mr. Caruso:

Thank you for your \$100.00 permit application fee which was received by the Division on April 19, 1999. The application for the proposed M&M #1,2,&3 Project, located in the SW1/4 of Section 30 and the NW1/4 of Section 35, SLBM, Kane County, Utah **is now considered in effect and no additional information is required by the Division at this time.**

If you wish to expand your operation beyond the five (5) acre limitation, please notify our office as soon as possible to discuss the necessary permitting requirements. Approval of a large mining notice could take from six to twelve months or longer.

Approval of mineral exploration or mining operations by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining does not constitute approval to commence operations upon lands under state mineral leases/school sections administered by the School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration, or federal lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) or United States Forest Service (USFS). Before conducting mining operations on these lands, the operator must provide written notification, meet bonding requirements, and obtain written approval from the appropriate agency.

Thank you for your cooperation. When in the area, a member of the Division staff will examine the site. Best wishes with your mining operation.

Sincerely,

Tom Munson
Senior Reclamation Specialist

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Enclosure
cc: Buzz Rakow, BLM, Henry Mountain FO (UTU-70774)
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